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NLRB PITTSBURGH, PA REGIONAL OFFICE TO BE CLOSED DUE TO G-20 SUMMIT

National Labor Relations Board General Counsel Ronald Meisburg announced today that because of the G-20 Summit being held in Pittsburgh, the Board's Pittsburgh, PA Regional Office (Region 6) will be closed from Wednesday, September 23 through Friday, September 25 and may be closed additional days. The Agency's offices are located in a security area that will not be accessible to Agency employees or to the public on those days. It is expected that the office will reopen on Monday, September 28, 2009.

General Counsel Meisburg advised that on the days the office is closed, Agency employees will be working remotely and will be checking their Agency email and voicemail regularly. Parties needing to reach a specific Board agent should send an email or telephone the agent and leave a message. Employers, unions and individuals served by the Pittsburgh Regional Office desiring telephonic assistance that does not relate to a matter currently pending with the Regional Office should call (412) 395-4400 and leave a message and the call will be returned.

On the days the office is closed, the Regional Office probably will not be able to receive mail or other deliveries such as next day or express document deliveries but arrangements have been made to forward facsimile transmissions to Region 8 personnel, in Cleveland, OH. Because the facsimile transmissions will need to be scanned and emailed to Region 6 personnel, the Region requests that, if possible, parties and individuals send electronic communications rather than faxes to the Region on September 23 through September 25.

General Counsel Meisburg expressed his appreciation to the staffs of Regions 6 and 8 for their efforts to minimize any inconvenience to the public during the days the office is closed.

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